

## TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

## Gathered in And Around Town By Our Resident And County Reporters.

All the schools gave holiday to-day.

On Monday afternoon the west bound mail was two hours late.

We call attention to the advertisement of Mrs. M. L. Floyd, who wants boarders.

Mr. T. A. Lynch has been assisting Mr. W. G. Young with the postoffice work this week.

Subscribe through us for the Ladies Home Journal, and all the other magazines.

John E. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spotts left last week for Greenbrier county, West Va., where they will spend the winter.

Dr. J. T. Cooley is building an addition to his dental office, which is a great improvement to the building.

We will exchange clothing for corn and pork at highest market prices.

HARMAN & BOTTIMORE.

The Bluefield Inn Cafe places an advertisement in this issue of the REPUBLICAN. See it on the fourth page.

Mr. H. Bane Harman, clerk of the circuit court, is now engaged taking rules in cases pending in said court.

Mr. B. H. Baylor will move his family to Marion some time next week, where he expects to engage in business.

A bunch of sweet flowers on Christmas is a thing of beauty, a fine selection of bulbs at Polst & Wingo.

Muncey Magazine, Argoey, Puritan, Cosmopolitan and McClures for December will be out in a few days at Jacksons.

About one half of our subscribers have made payments on their subscriptions. What will the other half do about it?

A nice line of bulbs such as Hyacinth, Chinese Lilly, Easter Lilly, Narcissus, Jonquils, at Polst & Wingo.

We are glad to receive the communication from Paint Lick this week, and hope our correspondent will send us one weekly.

Turkeys were numerous in town yesterday, and many tables to-day will be graced with a fine specimen of the Thanksgiving fowl.

The fire record of Tazewell has been good this year. There has not been any loss, that we can recall, in the town during 1897.

There was a new arrival at the home of Rev. J. N. Harman last Sunday. It is a boy and we suggest that he be trained for a preacher.

The lawyers are very busy preparing their cases for the approaching term of the circuit court, which begins the first Monday in next month.

Tynes Bros. are opening their splendid stock of groceries in their new store house on Tazewell Avenue, and will be ready for customers in a few days.

Christmas will be here in one month from to-day. It is time our merchants were notifying the people about what kind of holiday goods they will have.

The congregation of the Methodist church worshipped at the town hall on last Sunday morning. The furnace repairs at the church had not been completed.

Mrs. Julia Craig Dunn, who has been at Tazewell since September, will leave today for Arkansas, where she goes to take charge of the music department of a school.

What is the matter with our Burke's Garden correspondent? The only communication we have received from him in several weeks reached us after publication day.

The material and facilities of the REPUBLICAN job office are constantly being increased and improved. If you want first-class job work done cheaply and promptly bring it to this office.

We are glad to hear that the fever epidemic which has been prevailing at our neighboring town of Wytleville is nearly at an end. But few cases of fever remain and they are rapidly recovering.

The millinery establishments of Tazewell had the finest Fall trade this year they have ever had. The ladies of Tazewell will have pretty millinery and the Tazewell milliners can furnish them.

Rev. W. D. Buckner, rector of St. James Methodist Church, will hold Thanksgiving service at that church to-day. The service, no doubt, will be an interesting one, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

While you are enjoying your turkey and oysters today, think about the poor persons who cannot enjoy such luxuries. Do not exhaust your sympathy in thinking about the poor, but do something practical to show your sympathy.

Felix O'Keeffe has gone to Bluefield and accepted a position with the Norfolk & Western Railway. His friends here are glad that he has secured such an excellent place but regret to have him leave. Felix will be missed in Tazewell. We wish him great success in his new home.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held to-day at the Methodist church. The sermon will be preached by Rev. Mr. Foster, of the Baptist church. There will be a musical programme in which members of the Presbyterian, Baptist and Methodist churches will take part. We are not informed as to what other features will be introduced into the service.

Men's suits from \$3.50 to \$18.00  
Boys' " " 2.50 " 12.00  
Men's overcoats " 3.50 " 15.00  
Boys' " " 2.00 " 10.00  
Mackintoshes " 2.50 " 7.50  
Black Slickers " 2.50  
Pommes (riding coat) 3.50  
Shoes from 1.25 to 4.50  
We buy the best from the best and largest manufacturers in this country. Our expenses are light and small profits satisfy us. We guarantee every piece that leaves our store to give satisfaction.

HARMAN & BOTTIMORE.

## TWO MEN KILLED

In McDowell County, West Virginia.

## OFFICERS ATTEMPT TO ARREST THEM

They Were Father and Son, Resisted the Officers and Were Both Killed.

On last Saturday afternoon Guy Waldron, who was acting as a special constable and summoned to his assistance John Lester, undertook to arrest Noah Adair and his son Preston Adair, on Bradshaw Creek, McDowell county, West Va. We are informed that the officers had a warrant for Noah Adair for a felonious assault and for Preston Adair upon a charge of burning a fence. When the officers undertook to make the arrests the Adairs resisted and both of them were shot and killed. The party who gave us the news did not know the full particulars. The elder Adair had the reputation of being a dangerous man.

## PAINT LICK AND MIDWAY ITEMS.

Fair crops here, people contented and happy.

A clean sale of cattle from this neighborhood, first class prices, ("So mote it be!")

Messrs. Alex Steel, H. A. and Balfour White are attending court at Grundy this week. Members of a venire, summoned from this county to try Lee for the killing of Charles in Buchanan county last spring.

Mr. White Williams and Mrs. Belle Blankenship were married last week, Rev. P. J. Lockhart officiating. The boys gave them an old time serenade that awakened the neighborhood.

An enrollment of 63 pupils in school at this place. An average of nearly fifty this month. One teacher (\$25).

The school on Little River, at the Christian school house, is a success. Miss Ella White is the teacher. A most pleasant and estimable young lady.

Prayer meeting at the school house every Wednesday night.

Rev. Newberry P. C. Cedar Bluff and Midway circuit, and wife are visiting in this neighborhood this week. Bro. N. will preach at the Midway church Thursday night.

Mr. Editor, please agitate and re-agitate the subject of the reorganization of our party. Our party should be called the P.O.P. in this state instead of the G.O.P. The party is all right but the trouble is it has been "bossed" by so many and different "bosses", each with a shoulder load of axes.

Go Slow.

## Better than Klondike Gold

Is health and strength gained by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. It fortifies the whole system and gives you such strength that nervous troubles cease, and work which seemed wearing and laborious, become easy and is cheerfully performed. It has done this for others, it will for you.

Hood's pills are the best family cathartic and liver tonic. Gentle, reliable, sure.

## Boarders Wanted.

I have rented the Dr. Nye property on Main street, Tazewell, Va., and am prepared to take table boarders at \$10 per month or 35 cents a meal. I have one room which can be occupied by regular boarders at \$15 per month. The patronage of the public solicited.

Mrs. M. L. Floyd.

## GENERAL NEWS.

About \$6,000 has been contributed by New England bankers for the relief of the family of Cashier Barren, who was murdered at Dexter, Me.

Register-elect Isaac Fromme, of New York, has been presented with a medal by the Gaxolo Club as the champion beef-steak eater. Mr. Fromme recently made a record of eating seven and three-quarters pounds of juicy steak at one sitting.

There is a general report that Col. J. J. McCook, of New York, will be appointed Attorney General when Mr. McKenna shall succeed Justice Field on the Supreme bench.

The Monetary Committee has taken a recess until the 15th of December, when it will meet again at Washington to revise and sign its report.

It is said that the message President McKinley will present to Congress at the approaching session will be a lengthy one.

The Edgemore Bridge Company, of Wilmington, Del., has contracted for five steel bridges, including one drawbridge 318 feet long, for the Montgomery, Ala. extension of the Mobile & Ohio Railroad.

Prince Krapotkin, the Russian anarchist, who has been in this country for two months, was to have taken his departure from our shores on Tuesday. He considers that the prospects of Socialism in this country were never brighter.

A rumor comes from the home of Mr. Gladstone that the health of the "grand old man" is very much broken. It is a great misfortune for England that he is not now in his youth.

On last Friday Sheriff Charles, of Buchanan, came here and took Shade and Hamilton Lee to Grundy, where they are now being tried for murder of a brother of Sheriff Charles. They had a trial at a former term of the county court of Buchanan county but there was a hung jury. The prisoners were brought here and confined in the county jail for safe keeping.

The diseases cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla are many, because most ailments disappear as soon as the blood is enriched and purged by it.

## NO TRACE OF ANDREE.

Victoria Returns Without News of the Missing Aeronaut.

Tromsø, Tromsø Island, Norway, Nov. 21.—The steamer Victoria, which was sent out by the Governor of Tromsø, under instructions from King Arthur to search for Professor Andree, the missing aeronaut, and his party, on November 5, has returned from Spitzbergen.

She brings no news as to the whereabouts or movement of Professor Andree, although exploring parties landed ten times at various points in Danmascus Isles. The Victoria was provisioned for eight months and carried a crew of fifteen men. Paul Bjorvig, the explorer, was one of the company. It was understood that the expedition would search Danmascuereen, Advent Bay, Cape Thorsden, Prins Karl Foreland, and possibly Dane's Isle, from which point Professor Andree's balloon ascended in July last in his undertaking to cross the site of the north pole. According to the programme then published the Victoria on her return trip was to explore the south the southwest coast of Danmascuereen.

## BLOODY REVOLT OF SUDANESE.

Members of an Expedition Slain and 100 Mutineers Killed.

Zanzibar, East Africa, Nov. 21.—Particulars have reached here of a revolt among the Sudanese troops in Major MacDonald's expedition in the Lake country, south of the Equatorial provinces.

It appears that the expedition was advancing into the interior from the Uganda country for a unknown point when the mutineers, assisted by 150 Mohammedan tribesmen, attacked the camp at Wasoga. In the fierce fighting that followed Lieutenant Fielding, Major Thurston, Launch Engineer Scott, Civil Officer Wilton and 15 soldiers were killed.

The wounded numbered 30, including Captain MacPherson and Chief Civil Officer Jackson. The mutineers were finally defeated, after losing 100 killed or wounded.

Major MacDonald has been joined by the Wasoga native army, it is hoped that he will be able to quell the mutiny in a few weeks. A detachment of Indian troops from Mombasa will start immediately to reinforce Major MacDonald.

## DANGER IN HYPNOTISM.

Young Woman Only Revived After Hard Work.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 21.—Miss Helen Baldwin nearly died on Friday evening as the result, it is said, of being hypnotized at the private party given at the home of Owen W. Everett, of No. 709 Jackson Street. The young woman was hypnotized, it is claimed, by Thomas Clyde, a young man, of this city, and had some experience in the art.

When the young woman revived she lapsed into a cataleptic state, and after the efforts of the operator and a physician failed to arouse her, Undertaker John B. Martin and Professor Samuel Booth, men skilled in hypnotism, were summoned and resuscitated her, after a half an hour's work. At one time her body had turned cold, her pulse being down to thirty-nine beats a minute. Miss Baldwin lives in Delaware county, and was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bailey in this city.

## TRYING BRIBERY.

Poor Way for Spain to Subdue the Cuban Insurgents.

Washington, Nov. 23.—Information received at the State Department today confirms the story from Havana that the Spanish authorities are trying to bribe the insurgents to lay down their arms. Negotiations are now being attempted with General Gomez to abandon the cause of the insurgents and retire from the Island. He has been offered a large bonus and a life pension.

Should Gomez accept this proposition which is not likely, it would leave Calixto Garcia the only leader of any prominence in the insurgent ranks. It is certain that a similar attempt will be made within him.

## Car Robbers Arrested.

Coeburn, Va., Nov. 22.—Felts and Nelson, two of Baldwin's detectives, passed through here to-day with five negroes, who they arrested in Wise and Tazewell counties, Va., upon a charge of robbing Norfolk and Western cars. The robbery occurred at St. Paul, the robbers secured seven five-gallon kegs of liquor, one case of boots and other goods. Detective Baldwin placed the case in the hands of Felts and Nelson, who made the arrests as above. Three of the negroes confessed. The whole gang is now in jail at Gladeville, the county seat of Wise county.

## Competitor Prisoners Here.

New York, Nov. 22.—The Ward Line steamer Saratoga, from Havana, arrived at her pier at the foot of Wall street this afternoon. The competitor prisoners, Capt. Laborde and his companions, were among the passengers. They were heavily guarded at the dock by many Cuban sympathizers.

## PERSONAL NOTES.

Art Director Griffiths, of the Omaha Exposition, will start this month on an extended trip through the east for the purpose of securing art exhibits.

Madame Emma Eames, the great singer, said recently that though she loved America no singer could live here long because the constant rush and hurry soon told on the voice.

When President McKinley returned to the White House recently he found that one of the alterations was the fitting out of a hitherto unused room as a handsome smoking room for him.

Mme. Nordica recently had an expensive silk gown ruined by the dirt on the stage of the Auditorium in Chicago and declares that the next time she sings there she will wear a bicycle suit.

Mignon Crawford, the famous novelist,

in a recent lecture in Chicago, stated his belief that this country is about to enter upon an era of higher civilization, literature and art than it has ever before experienced.

John Holmes, the brother of Oliver Wendell Holmes, was almost unheard of until his recent severe illness brought him into public notice. James Russell Lowell once wrote of him as "one of those choice poets who will not tarnish their bright fancies by publication."

Mr. Pierre Botkine, the Russian representative at the recent seal conference in Washington, has inspected the Boston Public Library and is so much impressed with the system of branch libraries and free delivery that he intends to call the attention of his government to the matter.

Colonel Henry A. Thomas, postmaster of Boston, gave a lecture the other day on the history of postoffices, and stated that in the old colonial times there were only seventy-five postoffices in America. Ten years later there were 900 offices; in 1880, 42,000; in 1893, 67,000, and to-day about 70,000 have regular postmasters, receive and deliver mail matter and employ 2,000, 000 employees, men and women.

Mme. Ysaye, wife of the great violinist, who is now in this country, is her husband's assistant and secretary, and manages all his money matters.

Dr. Samuel Willard, of Chicago, an old-time friend of the great emancipator, Lovejoy, to whom a monument has been raised in Illinois, said in speaking of the death of his friend: "Lovejoy's body was carried along the main street to his home, and a man whose name I will not give, because I wish it forever forgotten, said: 'If I only had a file I would play the death march for him.' That was civil war."

## TURNS AND TWISTS.

One of the easiest things in the world to find is fault, and even a Philadelphia detective can catch a cold.

An English jurist, questioning a witness, asked: "Did you say 'I was not drunk?'" "I never said anything about you at all," was the reply.

Somebody has said that the most popular female in the United States is the young lady whose portrait appears on the twenty-dollar gold piece.

A pear tree blooming and bore fruit a second time this year in the suburbs of Cincinnati, but the frost killed the fruit. Reiteration may kill the story.

In the western part of Pennsylvania recently twenty-seven wild geese were brought to the ground by smoke from forest fires and were captured by boys. Many hunters with guns have had no such success.

A woman in Hiram, Me., has cucumber pickles in her house that she "put up" over forty years ago. This is explained by the fact that Hiram, Me., consists of a house and a barn, with not a schoolgirl within sixteen miles.

The authorities of the Kansas University are clever. They dismissed all the natural history classes when a circus came to enable the students to study the animals. Somebody, of course, had to go along to describe the animals.

An old gypsy named Rafael has asked the Emperor of Austria to invest him with the dignity of the gypsies, because he can prove his direct descent from Pharaoh. There are men in this country, and many of them, who can trace their decent back to the same source, somewhat differently spelled.

In a Western town a barber who had not been prosperous met with an accident that made him dumb. He was in despair lest he should not be able to go on with his business, but friends persuaded him to go to ahead. To his surprise he made much more money than ever before. When a German barber in Philadelphia was told about it he said:—"I will shafe you for nothings if you will tell me how did he do it."

## To Our Patrons for 1898.

You will want an exquisitely artistic calendar. File application for one now, with A. Goodman, the reliable liquor dealer, of Pocahontas, Va.

## CROCKETT'S COVE ITEMS.

This is lovely weather.

The people are busy gathering corn. Squire T. G. Crockett has been away for several days clerking in store for R. A. Crockett, at Gratton.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Brown, of Ward's Cove, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crockett on Friday and Saturday last.

Mr. Pat Crockett, of Witten's Mills, spent a few days with relatives at this place last week.

Mr. R. F. Crockett, of Roderfield, West Va., visited the Cove last week.

We regret to relate the death of Mrs. Riley who had lived to see her 104 year, her husband having served in the Revolutionary war.

H. D. McGuire, of Tazewell College, was over to see his Pa and Ma on last Sunday.

"Old Hen"

Shraders, Va., Nov. 22, 1897.

## Jury For Circuit Court.

The following gentlemen have been drawn as jurors to serve at the approaching term of the circuit court: M. M. Hankins, James Beavers, J. Marion McGuire, J. B. Crabtree, J. H. Young, J. A. Hubble, Geo. P. Hall, W. L. Britts, H. G. McCall, E. K. Crockett, J. M. Hale, T. A. Witten.

## New Postmaster in Charge.

On Monday morning Mr. W. G. Young took charge of the post office at Tazewell, with J. Powell Royal as assistant. The postmaster and his assistant are both capable and popular, and we have no doubt they will give the patrons of the office good service.

## Buston &amp; Sons.

The season for Oysters has come. We get them regularly, of the best quality, direct from the seashore.

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## Hat or Bonnet

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TAZEWELL MILLINERY CO.

## BEARWALLOW ITEMS.

Fall is nearly gone, the weather is dry and cold and the farmers have not gotten their corn housed.

Mrs. Mary Ward died on the 14th inst. She had been ill for some time with consumption. She leaves four children to mourn her death, besides many friends and relatives.

Lawyer E. S. W. Elswick recently got his house and all his effect burned up. The loss was at least \$1,000; and on the 17th inst. he was at Sinking Waters and his horse threw him and broke his right arm.

Squire W. J. Elswick says he wishes that the editor would get more of the Bearwallow folks to subscribe for the REPUBLICAN, as the Squire's is the only copy that comes out here, and the people all like to read the REPUBLICAN so well that his paper is about worn out before they all get the news. The people out here are all very kind hearted. If the editor would ask them we believe that he would get to send several more papers to Bearwallow.

Our justice, Mr. W. J. Elswick, is hard on the boys who race horses and play cards at church. We believe the crooked brush will grow straight if he continues to stand for the strict enforcement of the law. Hurrah Squire! Tame the wild!

Mr. Jas. H. Pruett has made sale of his farm. We hate to give uncle Harve up.

Anthony Christian is quite low at this writing. He has been ill for four years with an abscess on his arm and shoulder.

## BEARWALLOW SINGER.

Ed.] We are glad to hear the REPUBLICAN is so much esteemed by the people in the Bearwallow neighborhood, and we hereby ask and urge all who so enjoy reading its columns to become subscribers. One dollar will give you the REPUBLICAN for one year.

## DOAK ITEMS.

E. S. W. Elswick met with an accident the other day by being thrown from his

horse and getting his arm broken. Dr. Baylor was sent for, the arm was set and Mr. Elswick is resting very well now.

W. P. Payne, of Welch, who has been with us for nearly a week returned home Friday.

Mr. Harvey Shannon, of Gap Store, was in our midst last week surveying for W. P. Payne.

Misses Lula and Mollie Bandy, of Baptist Valley, were at our place Saturday shopping.

Robert Ellis and his sister Pearl, of Poor Valley, were at Sinking Waters Sunday visiting friends.

J. W. Chistain, of Bear Wallow, was at our place Saturday and spent the night with uncle Jack Beavers.

Mr. Richard White, of this place, is moving to Pounding Mill. We regret the loss of Mr. White from our place.

Wm. Payton, who has been ill with typhoid fever, is convalescent.

J. R. Sparks preached an interesting sermon at Harman Sunday.

Several of our young folks from Sinking Waters attended the services Sunday at Harman.

Nan.

The three-year-old boy of J. A. Johnson, of Lynn Center, Ill., is subject to attacks of cramp. Mr. Johnson says he is satisfied that the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, during a severe attack, saved his little boy's life. He is in the drug business, a member of the firm of Johnson Bros., of that place; and they handle a great many patent medicines for throat and lung diseases. He had all these to choose from, and skilled physicians ready to respond, to his call, but selected this remedy for use in his own family at a time when his child's life was in danger, because he knew it to be superior to any other, and famous the country over for its cures of cramp. Mr. Johnson says for this is the best-selling cough medicine they handle, and that it gives splendid satisfaction in all cases. Sold by Jno. E. Jackson, druggist, Tazewell, Va.

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## L. Lazarus &amp; Co.

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